
HOUSE RESOLUTION

URGING ALL PUBLIC FACILITIES TO ESTABLISH SECURE BICYCLE PARKING AREAS, CONDOMINIUMS TO CONSTRUCT SECURE BICYCLE PARKING WHEN CONDUCTING RENOVATIONS, AND THE COUNTIES TO CONSIDER SECURE BICYCLE PARKING IN FUTURE VERSIONS OF THE BUILDING CODE.

1 WHEREAS, bicycle riding is a healthy, economical, and
2 environmentally friendly alternative to driving a motor vehicle;
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5 WHEREAS, the manufacturing and operation of a bicycle
6 requires less natural resources and creates less pollution than
7 a motor vehicle; and
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9 WHEREAS, riding a bicycle for transportation potentially
10 helps the cyclist to improve overall health and generally become
11 a more productive employee who requires less time off for
12 illness; and
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14 WHEREAS, bicycles provide mobility for those who cannot
15 afford or are not able to drive motor vehicles; and
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17 WHEREAS, during 2010, there were 313,214 registered
18 bicycles in the City and County of Honolulu, amounting to about
19 one registered bicycle for every three people; and
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21 WHEREAS, many people would like to use a bicycle for
22 transportation, but the lack of secure bicycle parking
23 facilities at many places does not encourage bicycling; and
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25 WHEREAS, most places with bicycle parking only include a
26 bicycle rack with minimal security making it easy for a thief to
27 quickly cut a lock and steal the bicycle; and
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29 WHEREAS, in 2011, more than a thousand bicycles were stolen
30 on Oahu; now, therefore,
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1 BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the
 2 Twenty-seventh Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular
 3 Session of 2013, that places of public accommodation, including
 4 shopping centers, universities, and government facilities, are
 5 urged to establish secure bicycle parking areas including locked
 6 facilities, guards, and other means of safeguarding bicycle
 7 parking areas; and

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 9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that condominiums in the State are
 10 urged to consider including or adding secured bicycle parking
 11 when renovating parking facilities; and

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 13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the State and counties are
 14 encouraged to consider requiring secured bicycle parking in the
 15 design of their facilities in future versions of building codes;
 16 and

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 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
 19 Resolution be transmitted to the Governor, the Comptroller, the
 20 President of the University of Hawaii, the President of Hawaii
 21 Pacific University, the President of Chaminade University, the
 22 President of Brigham Young University-Hawaii, the Mayor of each
 23 county, the Director of each county's planning department, and
 24 the Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs who in turn is
 25 requested to transmit copies to the managing or leasing agent
 26 for all shopping centers and boards of directors of all of the
 27 condominium associations in the State.
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